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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 1168

By McKee

A RESOLUTION to honor Ms. Sarah Anne Flanigan for exemplary service as a legislative intern.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that this body should pause in its deliberations to honor and commend certain individuals who through model character personify idealism and endless work ethic for the state of Tennessee as a whole; and

WHEREAS, Sarah Anne Flanigan is one such individual who through her dedication and hard work has been an asset of the utmost degree to the staff of the Legislative Office of Governor Don Sundquist and the entire staff of the Tennessee General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, a native of Athens, Tennessee she moved to Greeneville, Tennessee to attend Tusculum College, where she is highly regarded not only by her peers, but also by the faculty and administration as well, Ms. Flanigan has achieved academic excellence while majoring in Political Science and Psychology and minoring in Religion; and

WHEREAS, an accomplished and respected leader, Sarah Flanigan has served on several committees at Tusculum College, including Psychology Club Secretary, an active member of

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the Alpha Chi National Honor Society and recently elected as co- President of the Student Government Association; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Flanigan has been active in numerous extracurricular activities while attending Tusculum College; she has been active in Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Andrew Johnson Society, and Pioneer Host where she earned Host of the Year; and

WHEREAS, Ms Flanigan is a conscientious member of her community and generously serves as the Youth Minister at Chuckey Church, volunteers and coordinates charities at the local senior citizen center and Humane Society; and

WHEREAS, after graduating from Tusculum College, she plans to attend graduate school; her display of intellectual aptitude and ambition as a student at Tusculum College and as an intern with the Governor's Office surely bodes well for her future success in college and throughout her life; and

WHEREAS, eager to familiarize herself with the characteristics and complexity of Tennessee state government and to further her studies, Sarah Flanigan brought her many abilities and singular expertise to Capitol Hill for the 2002 session of the One Hundred Second General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, Sarah's success as a legislative intern is directly attributable to her reliance upon the time honored values of hard work, common sense, and to her exceptional ability to work well with people from all walks of life; and

WHEREAS, Sarah has found her intern experience to be most rewarding, and this extraordinary young lady has excelled in each of her appointed duties; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE

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SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and congratulate Sarah Anne Flanigan for outstanding service as a legislative intern for the Legislative Office of Governor Don Sundquist and extend to her our most sincere wishes for every future success and happiness.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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